AT DANVILLE.

Death of Mrs. Douglass. Mrs. Martha W. Douglass, widow of Guy Douglass, died at her home in this village Sunday morning, after a few weeks' illness. Mrs. Douglass was born in New Hampshire in May 1812 and was the daughter of Nathanel Meserve. Her parents soon moved to Sheffield, where she lived the greater part of her life. She was twice married. Pirst to Stephen Williams, of Sheffield, who died in 1864. and three children were born to them, only one of whom is now living, Edwin Williams of this town. In 1867 she was married to Guy Douglass of this town and came here to live. Mrs. Douglass was a very attractive lady and one of whom it might truly be said, "She lookest well to the ways of her household.' She enjoyed good health to an advanced age, being nearly 92 years old at the time of her death. The funeral was held at the house to-day, Rev. G. H. Cummings officiating.

Debating Society Organized.

A debating society was organized Friday evening with the following officers: President, Marshall M. Stocker; vice president, Rev. Joseph Hamilton; secretary and treasurer, A. Maurice Hoyt; executive committee, Harvey Burbank, W. C. Heath, and Rev. George H. Cummings; question committee, Dr. Charles E. Libbey, B. E. Goodnough, and Aaron Wesson. The question for discussion, Resolved: Russia is justified in the position which she has taken in her international relations which precipitated the Russo Japanese war. The disputants on the affirmative are Harvey Burbank, Mark M. Wheeler, and Lewis A. Fisher; on the negative, John D. Williams and A. Maurice Hoyt. This society has been organized for the purpose of improving its members in the art of public speaking, and every one is invited to its first debate at the town ball, next Tuesday evening.

Washburn Lodge are making preparations to entertain a good number of their friends from Passumpsic Lodge this eve-

The musical convention commences this afternoon with the prospect of a good attendance from out of town. There will be a promenade concert Thursday evening, a matinee concert Friday afternoon and the closing concert Friday evening.

Communion will be observed at the Congregational church Sunday and the preparatory service will be held Saturday afternoon of this week instead of Thursday, the usual day. There is also some business to come before the church at that time which was postponed from the annual church meeting in January. A full attendance is desired.

About 80 friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. George Bagby gathered at their home Wednesday evening, to give them a house warming and also to present them with a purse of money amounting to about \$40, as a token of George H. Cummings made the presen awas followed by Rev. Joseph Hamilton in a more formal response. The remainder of the evening was very pleasantly spent with games and social intercourse. The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational

church will hold a social Wednesday atternoon and evening, March 9. Tracy Badger, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Badger, celebrated his third birthday Monday evening, Feb. 29, although he is 16 years old. So unusual a circumstance was taken advantage of by his many triends among the young people to give him a rousing birthday party and also to present him with a

gold ring. Mrs. George Bagby, who has been at Brightlook Hospital, returned Friday evening, much improved in health.

Auburn Taylor has bought the Cummings place in Barnet of Henry Estabrooks for \$1,000 and is moving there this week.

E. E. Badger has just received 22 new wagons for the spring trade.

J. Harley Tilton, a former Danville boy, now motorman on the Boston street railway, is quite seriously ill at his home in Boston with the measles.

Miss Bessie Brown of Wentworth, N. H., is visiting her brother, Dr. David R. Brown, at C. H. Wilson's. James Collins, who has been confined

to the house the past three weeks by illness, is able to be out again. Edwin Webster was confined to the

house by illness last week. Miss Eva Tilton is home from Passumpsic to attend the musical convention.

Mrs. Arthur Heath of St. Johnsbury is visiting at W. C. Heath's. Mrs. Charles Thurber is ill.

Mrs. W. O. Stratton has been suffering from an attack of the grip. E. E. Badger has hired Robert Mc-Cullough to work for him another year.

been visiting at M. M. Wheeler's the past week. Salma Davis played with Paul's or-chestra at the G. A. R. encampment at

Mrs. Ella Wheeler of Peacham has

Morrisville last week. Charlie Ranney is ill with the grip, and unable to attend the Business College

Mrs. Charles Wilson and daughter Susie visited triends at Burlington last

Mrs. Freeman Allison has returned

from St. Johnsbury, where she has been visiting relatives. Miss Martha Tice has been quite ill at her bome the past week, being threatened

with pneumonia, but is now convales Miss Nellie Peck entertained a party of

her young triends last week in honor of her 16th birthday. Mrs. Henry Page returned Monday

from St. Johnsbury where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter Per-

Mrs. George Hodgdon has been ill with a severe attack of the grip the past

Dr. Brown has had a telephone put in his office at C. H. Wilson's. Rev. Joseph Hamilton was in Marsh-

field, Saturday, on business. Miss Alice Hamilton and Prof. Ernest Hamilton are home from Montpelier

Seminary for the spring vacation. GREENSBORO. S. D. Dow and wife went to East

Montpelier last week Tuesday to visit their daughter, Mrs. John Fowler, returning home bridgy. Frank Melvin and his mother were BLY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York

called to Barton, Saturday, to attend the tuneral of Mrs. Story.

This town was well represented at the Conwell lecture Friday evening at Hard-wick. All were well pleased with the lecture, but thought it was a terribly cold ride home with the mercury 34 degrees below zero and a keen wind blowing.

Miss Lillian Thoraton is stopping at C. A. Goodrich's for a few days. There was a severe storm here Sun-

day-snow, sleet and wind-the roads in many places drifted the hardest they have been this winter. Fertilizing Salt.

The Vermont Experiment Station at

Burlington weighed ten clusters of grass from two plots of land lying side by side. From the unsalted plot the ten plants weighed 14 grams, while from the plot which had received 3,000 pounds of salt per acre, they weighed 26 grams or nearly wice as much.

Speaking of its effectiveness in killing Hawk Weed, or Paint Brush, the experiment station bulletin says: "Most of the weed was killed by the application of 2,000 pounds per acre. Every plant of it was killed by the application of 3,000 pounds per acre and the weight of the grass was nearly doubled."

FERTILIZING SALT can be obtained of C. S. Page, Hyde Park, Vt, at \$4 00 per ton in carload lots; and \$4.50 in less than car load lots, put up in cheap 100-lb sacks-no charge for sacks. At this price the Salt is delivered on board the cars at Hyde Park. Low, special freight rates have been arranged to all points on the St. J. & L. C. and Boston & Maine railroads in Northern Vermont.

SHEFFIELD.

Mrs. A. S. Hall is having a light run of heumatic tever. R. C. Hall has rented the old parson-

age house of Will Peck and will move Hollis Brown has rented his farm to William Blair and is to move into G ffin

and Simpson's store bouse. The funeral services for Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Mitchell's little three months old baby was held Sunday afternoon.

Myron Smith's children are all reported a little better. John Simpson is very sick with pneu

Mrs. George Kendall is quite sick. Mrs. A. M. Campbell has rented her farm to George Keith and moves to

Craitsbury soon. H. V. Drown has almost a million feet of lumber in his mill yard.

H. C. Bruce, of Sharon, was in town the first of the week visiting his brother, lonas, who is very low.

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SOUTH WHEELOCK.

Mrs. W. W. Bean and Miss Ethel are on the sick list. A good time was enjoyed by all at the social at A. J. Heath's Saturday evening. Miss Lena Heath of Barton has been

visiting her parents here. Miss Bell McDowell of Lyndonville and Miss Rose of St. Johnsbury Center spent Sunday in town.

Miss Rosa Jeffers of St. Johnsbury was

n town last week. About two weeks ago when John Nutt went to feed his hens he found 10 had been killed by some animal, and last Sunday he found 13 more dead, leaving him only one. The same animal visited W. W. Bean's hen house, but some one happened to be in the barn and hearing the

noise frightened him away before he had killed any hens. W. J. Mooney has been quite sick with tonsilitis for the past week.

Mr. Webster of Barton spent a few days recently at Justin Heath's. Mrs. George Simpson is quite sick with

the grip. A. E. Weed sold three cows last week to Alonzo Deos of Lyndon.

For Over Sixty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. If disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth, send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediateiy. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrbœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, sottens the gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children trething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best fema'e physicians and nurses in the United States. Price 25 cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "MRS. WINS-LOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP.'

WALDEN. John Davis, who has been boarding at Charlie Grey's for some time, died Priday, and the burial was at North Walden cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Walter Kittredge's little daughter, Edna, has been quite sick, but is better at present writing.

N. J. Kingsbury and family spent part of last week visiting friends in Danville. Presiding Elder Sherburn met with the quarterly conference here last week.



THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR



IT IS A MATTER OF HEALTH

LYNDON.

A Moving Chapter. Ulysses Grant moved his furniture last week from his house near the paint shop to his father in law's, H. H. Frye, except enough to furnish a room for himself at Lyndonville; Ira Grant moved Friday rom one of Scott Farnum's tenements to the house vacated by his brother, U. S. Grant; Aleck Aldrich is moving this week from Lyndonville to the house in Hadleyville, owned by the railroad company; Charles Coffran is moving from a arm above Lyndon Center to the Gage place just north of the depot; Lewis Dana of Peacham is moving this week to the tenement in Scott Farnum's residence and will work for him the coming season.

Miss Alice Skinner of Lowell is spending two or three weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Delaney.

Mrs. Ella Holder and Mrs Winthrop Blodgett of St. Johnsbury visited Mrs. Leonora Brown, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Chase left Satur-

day for their home in Chicago. Mrs. Minetta Spencer and two daughters went to Exeter, N. H., to spend a

Clarence Hubbard was called home from Boston to attend the funeral of his grandfather, C. K. Hubbard, and returned to his work Monday morning.

The box social held by the Congrega tional society Thursday evening at E. E. standing so near the buildings. The Gage's was a very pleasant affair. About trees were about 65 years old, having 45 persons were present. All enjoyed the

evening unusually well. A union temperance meeting was held trees measured two feet and six inches in at the Methodist church Sunday evening. Several young people gave recitations; Miss Hattie Gour and Miss Mary Brown sang a duet; the choir gave some stirring choruses, and Rev. W. C. Clark of the Congregational church gave an entertaining and instructive address containing some concise statements of the temperance situation. Rev. Mr. Clark is making a fine impression in this place and it is hoped that his coming here will result in much good to the church and

Next Sunday, March, 6, having been set apart as Universal Bible Sunday, there will be a special service appropriate to the occasion at the Methodist church

at 7 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Mather was out of town a couple of days the first of the week, on business, and also to visit his sister at

The Methodist Sunday school are preparing to give an Easter concert Sunday, March 27, one week ahead of time, as the Methodist conference will be in ses-

sion at Montpelier one week later. A warning is out for the annual village meeting to be held Tuesday evening, March 8, at 7 30 o'clock in the Lyndon Academy and graded school building.

The winter term of school closed Friday with a promenade in the evening. A pleasing program of recitations and songs occupied the first of the evening, a'ter which Fred Spencer and Miss Anita Chabot furnished music for promenading. Quite a crowd was present. Refreshments were served and the graduating class have about \$10 above expenses.

School commences again March 14. There will be a meeting of the executive committee of the Lyndon district Sunday school union at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon, at half past two o'clock. This committee consists of all the Sunday school superintendents in the

district and the officers of the union. Miss Marion Nicholson of Canada is spending two or three weeks with her sister, Mrs. Frank Spencer.

Charles W. Hoffman met with a serious accident, Wednesday. He was drawing logs from his farm on Pudding Hill and when at _aniel Paris' mill the load slipped and the logs rolled on his right kg, causing a compound fracture above the ankle, with the bone protruding through the flesh. He was carried immediately to the home of his brother, E H. Hoffman and medical assistance secured, but his general health is not good and he is not rallying rapidly.

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NORTH WALDEN. The remains of John Davis, who died at C. Gray's at Four Corners, were brought here for burial, Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Domey has returned to St. Albans. Nearly every member of the J. Taylor

family have been very ill with grip, but are now improving. Mrs. Taylor's mother, Mrs. Esther Rollins, has been caring for them the past three weeks. A few from this section attended the lecture by Russell Conwell, at Hardwick last week and were well paid for the long

GROTON.

A New Encampment. An encampment of Odd Fellows has recently been organized in town. It has 21 charter members in addition to eight others who became members of the local camp by taking withdrawal cards from the one in East Barre. A large number of Odd Fellows were present from out of town, including the degree teams from Montpelier and East Barre lodges who worked the degrees. A delegation also present from the camp at was Barre. Among the grand officers present were G T., L J. Brown, Bradford; G. P., E. A Cook, Newport; D. D. G. P., L. R. Livingstone, Montpelier, and G. W. Kimball, St. Albans.

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KIRBY.

Miss Nellie Amidon, from East Haven, is working for Mrs. George Leach. William Houghton has cut down the large pine trees in front of his house, been set out by Laura and Amirinda Pike about 60 years ago. One of the diameter and the other two feet and two

Rev. E. E. Grant, of East St. Johnsbury, has bought John Woods' farm and Mr. Woods talks of going to Massa-

chusetts to live. Charles Cushman, from West Somer ville, Mass., visited his old triend, P. C. Houghton, last week, and while here helped put in-some hay scales for W. P.

Ernest Gour, from Lyndon, is working for H. P. Graves. Dan Gage, from St. Johnsbury, visited

at William Damon's last week. Miss Ethel Bruce is home for a vaca tion from her school at East Burke. Mrs. H. W. Locklin and daughter,

Nellie, from Lyndonville, visited at W. P. Russell's last week. Mrs. T. W. Kelley, who is visiting friends in West Northfield, Mass., is

quite sick with the grip.

Frank, only child of Sarah and William Woodard, died Monday, Feb. 22, aged 21 years. He has been an invalid for several years. Funeral services were held at the house Wednesday afternoon, Rev. C. G. Gorse officiating. Interment in the village cemetery.

Sylvester Gray and wife of Sutton were n town last week to call on Alson Gray, who is not much better at this writing. The house on the place known as the Ed Melcher farm in which James Donahue was living, was burned Sunday afternoon. The family was away at the time of the fire. The entire contents were burned with no insurance. The house was owned by Mrs. T Berry and was insured for \$200.

The ladies of the Library Association served dinner Tuesday for the voters of the town.

Essie Simpson celebrated her 20th birthday Friday evening by inviting about 30 friends to her home. The evening was pleasantly spent in playing games, and the people were treated with

an oyster supper. Ada Simpson of St. Johnsbury was in town Friday and Saturday, visiting her sister Essie, who returned to St. Johnsbury with her Saturday night.

Miss Minnie Washburne has finished work at Island Pond and at present is at home.

Lisle Washburne is to work for C. M. Bruce the coming season. There were no services at the Union church Sunday on account of the storm.

The body of Mrs. Kellogg of Peacham, who was over 100 years old, was brought here Saturday and put in the tomb. The funeral of Amos Willey, an old cit-

izen, was held at the town farm, Sunday Mrs. Mary Beedle died of pneumonia at the home of ber daughter, Mrs. Milo Barrett, Friday night. The funeral was

held Monday at her late home. The remains of the intant child of Mr. and Mrs. Orman Dennison of Marshfield was put in the tomb here, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bruce were given a pleasant surprise at the home of their son, Friday evening. Cake, coffee and fruit was served. All had a good time. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Osgood visited at Barre a part of last week.

AT THE 'VILLE.

Mary B. Chayer was the winner of the second prize for ladies in the prize speaking contest by members of the class of 1905 of Montpelier Seminary, Thursday evening. Her piece was entitled "An Easter with Parepa."

The concert Saturday evening was one of the best ever given here, and drew a large audience. The Boston Ladies' Symphony Orchestra will always be sure of a welcome should they come here again. They were all fine players, the solos were excellent, and their ensemble playing showed perfect time and harmony. Nearly every selection on the program was beartily encored, and all who attended unite in fervent praise of McColl, died at her home last week Tuesthese gifted ladies.

The next entertainment in the lecture with pneumonia, at the age of 68 years, course will be given March 19 by Fred Mrs. McColl was a woman of high Chris-Emerson Brooks, and the last one March 24, by Rev. Ora Gray.

a week in New York. The wedding of Miss Nellie Smith and

Bert Watson is to take place in Glover today. Both were formerly residents here, but will make their home in Glover. Remember the annual village meeting Wednesday evening, to be followed by a and Ernest of New York City; also one special meeting of the school district to special meeting of the school district to decide on the means of raising money to ers, Nelson Renfrew of Barnet, and Wilpay for the new schoolhouse.

G. M. Cameron, stenographer at the railroad shops, has resigned his position, and expects to go to Boston to work

Miss Louise Gleason is at home from her school at East Concord. About 150 new books have arrived for the town library and will be ready for the public as soon as they can be covered and labeled. The list includes a few of the best recent works of fiction, a large list of boys' books, and quite a number of miscellaneous books. Among them are Woodrow Wilson's History of the American People; Gordon's Reminis-cences of the Civil War; Senator Hoar's Antobiography; Mosley's Life of Glad-stone; Senator Beveridge's "Russian Advance;" John D. Long's "New American Navy;" Gilbert Parker's "Old Quebec," and many others. Work will begin on

books are in the library. The wedding of Samuel Stern of New York City to Miss Hattie Ohlman of Brooklyn occurs at the bride's home today. Congratulations are extended from all the groom's friends here.

the new catalogue as soon as all the new

Robert McVicar and wife are stopping at E. C. Frost's. Miss Alice Currier has given up her work at the Union House on account of

ill health. Mrs. John Webster is slowly recovering from her recent illness. Mrs. L. F. Woodward, who has been with her for a They were struck by lightning two while, has returned to her home in West John Lumsden.

According to a recent ruling of the Mrs. A. L. Weed, Thursday. postoffice department, it is allowable to leave the lobby of a post office open all day Sunday, for the convenience of renters of lock boxes. Why can we not have this privilege here? It would be well appreciated by a great many patrons of the

The Woman's Relief Corps gave a bash supper in their hall last Friday evening which was well attended

WEST BURKE. Mrs. Etta McClellan of Glover is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George

Charles Winter visited friends in Lyndon over Sunday. Mrs. Fannie Sargent is spending the

week at her brother's, Henry Watson, at Lyndonville The ladies of the place entertained the gentlemen in G. A. R. hall Monday evening. Pit and flinch were the games of the evening. There was a short entertainment consisting of songs and read-

Will Holtham is moving to Lyndonville this week, where they have a pleasant tenement on Park street.

The play, "Penn Hapgood," is to be given for the benefit of the band, March

E. L. Gaskill and wife are at Barton for a few days. Mrs. D. G. Huntley of Lyndonville spent last week with her daughter, Mrs, W. R. Noyes.

Rev. J. A. Dixon of Hardwick gives the second lecture in the Epworth League course Friday evening of this week. Subject, "The Saxon Progress."

Roy Fogg is very low with consumption at his brother's, Arthur Fogg.

LUNENBURG.

There are several cases of measles and mumps at South Lunenburg. Miss Susie Dodge entertained cousin from Littleton over Sunday. Mr. Prouty, who has bought back his

the first of March. Hon. Clarence Ferguson of Burlington gave an address on license at the Methodist church Sunday morning, in the afternoon at East Concord, and in the evening at Guildhall. He is a very inter-

farm from his wife, will take, possession

esting speaker. It was 35 degrees below zero Friday

night at the ferry. Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Lewis of Bethlehem, with two friends, were in town last week Tuesday with work for W. E. Balch, the taxidermist. They dined at the Heights House, and returned home

by the way of Littleton. Irving Bowker and Miss Katherine Silsby spent a few days with relatives in Lyndonville the last of the week. Several are quite sick with grip in the

Fred McKillip of Groveton was town Saturday. O. H. Osgood of Stark, N. H., was in town Thursday en route for St. Johns bury, with three race horses. He will

remain there some time.

Miss Mand Crane is caring for Mrs. Newman, who is quite sick at her home on the river road. John and Charles Emerson of Lancaster were in town the first of the week looking after work in the cemetery.

The Standard Oil Co. has just declared

SOUTH RYEGATE.

Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Somers of Barnet were in town Friday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. J. R. McColl. Miss Bella McDonald is assisting in the

amily of Rev. J. H. McArthur.

Mrs. Ammon Emery, who has been ill for several weeks, is much better. Mrs. J. H. McArthur returned Tuesday from a two months' visit with her people in Potsdam, N. Y.

the Presbyterian church Sunday evening. Nelson Whitehill moved last week to his farm on Jefferson Hill.

A union temperance service was held in

Ernest McColl returned to New York, Saturday, having been called here by the illness of his mother.

Lois Renfrew, wife of the late J. R. day evening after a very short illuess tian character and endeared herself to a large circle of friends. She was tenderly Mrs. H. E. Folsom has been spending cared for by her children who have been untiring in their efforts for her happiness during her declining years. She will not only be greatly missed in the home, but in the community in which she lived. The surviving members of her family are Frank and Blanche, who lived at home Mrs. John Morrison of South Ryegate, liam, who made his home with the McColl family. Funeral services were held at the home Friday, at 1 o'clock, Rev. W. S. Wallace officiating, and interment at South Ryegate in the new ceme tery beside her husband and daughter Lois, who died several years ago.

EAST CABOT.

S. E. Houghton visited his son Edgar at Cabot, recently. Frank G. Morse and Geo. H. Read spent Sunday at Charles Houghton's at

Passumpsic.

few days last week.

Mrs. Ida Barr has returned home from Ira Read's, where she has been for a tew days. Mr. and Mrs. W. Hall visited in Calais

Mrs. Kate Davison of St. Johnsbury visited in town recently. Will Hall has moved his family to Marshfield, on the depot road, and he will work for S. Swerdfeger in the mill.

STANNARD. Several from this locality attended the G. A. R. encampment and Relief Corps convention at Morrisville last week.

F. A. Paige has an increase of pension from \$16 to \$24 a month. Bert Coomer and wife, of Greensboro,

visited at F. S. Smith's recently. S. D. Graves and wife, of Winchester, Mass., are guests at M. F. Ayer's. Mrs. Carrie Eastman is visiting Mrs.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet wit Miss Louie Jamieson and Carroll Sawtell are at home on a vacation of two weeks from Bakersfield academy.

NORTH DANVILLE.

There will be a donation and antiquaian supper at the vestry of the Free Baptist church, Wednesday afternoon and evening, March 9, for the benefit of the pastor, B. D. Newell.

NORTH DANVILLE. Mrs. Jemima Green is ill at the home of her son, B. G. Varnum.

Miss Mary Varnum is working in the office of the New England telephone exchange at St. Johnsbury. George H. Massey and daughter, Miss Emma of West Derby, who have been visiting relatives about here recently,

Bert Massey of St. Johnsbury has been ill at the home of his uncle, E. M. Massey the past week, but is now better. Mrs. C. M. Bailey is gaining slowly. Fred Berry went to Sutton Thursday

returned to their home last week.

to attend the funeral of his mother, who died at Brightlook Hospital the previ ous day. W.W. Hubbard and daughter Miss

Lizzie have spent the past ten day's visiting relatives in Hardwick. Rev. B. D. Newell was away over Sunday, the pulpit being supplied by Miss Leger the lady evangelist, who is holding a series of meetings at the Free Bap tist church every atternoon and evening

of this week except Saturday.

Hyomei a Record Breaker. Novel Method of Curing Catarrh. Solo on Approval by W. B. Eastman. The popularity and remarkable sales of Hyomei have broken all records. In nearly every city and town in the country, this guaranteed cure for catarrh has given most astonishing results.
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nothing unless it cures. In St. Johnsbury, W. B. Eastman is endorsing it and guaranteeing to refund the money unless Hyomei cures catarrh. He has sold a great many Hyomei outfits, and today, no other treatment for the cure of catarrh has as many friends in St. Johnsbury and vicinity as Hyomei. It is a scientific, yet common sense method of treating and curing this too common disease. It sends by direct inhalation to every cell of the air passages in the head, throat and lungs, a balsami air that destroyes all catarrhal germs

sold with the understanding that it costs

and makes a complete and lasting cure of any catarrhal trouble. The complete outfit costs but \$1, and includes an inhaler, medicine dropper and sufficient Hyomei for several weeks,

purifies the blood with additional ozone

treatment. You take no risk in buying Hyomei. W. B. Eastman positively guarantees to refund your money unless it cures.

Cyrus W. Wyman, aged 80 years, died at Brattleboro last week Tuesday morning of heart disease resulting from bronchitis. He had been ill since October Mr. Wyman was formerly postmaster in Rockingham. After going to Brattle-boro he was connected with the Brattle-boro Savings Bank 16 years, being treasurer part of the time. He was large real estate owner, owing several houses besides half an interest in the a quarterly dividend of \$16 a share; last Herrick and Wyman building, and held year for the same quarter the dividend stock in several electric railroads. He he knew the class would cry him down was \$18. Should there be any danger of was a pronounced probibilionist and a line did. Miss Agnes Campbell was the only school Senator Hanna was reputed to be a scholar having no marks during the 12 very wealthy man. One estimate of his property places it at \$13,000,000.

Senator Hanna was reputed to be a was \$18. Should there be any danger of was a pronounced product pr

WHAT'S IN A SHADOW?

[Original.]

"A shadow," said the lecturer, "is something formed from the interposition"-

"Beg parden, professor," interrupted the facetious student, "A shadow is nothing."

The class tittered, while the professor cast a provoked glance at the facetious student. Controlling himself, however, he paused a moment to consider how he should meet the interruption. Technically the student was right, but he was hypercritical. He had taken a like course several times before, and the professor desired to put a stop to his

interruptions. "You think that a shadow is nothing," he said, addressing the class, while looking at the facetious student. "I think I can demonstrate that a shadow may be something fraught even with life and death. Some years ago I was traveling in the far west, where things are not done as we do them here, and strolling through the central square of a small town I came upon a gallows. A crowd was collecting, and upon inquiry I learned that a murderer was to be hanged at noon. I did not remain to witness the hanging. but on going back to the hotel I asked the landlord something about the culprit and his crime. This is what he told me:

"Some months previous a house had been entered, an old man who lived there alone murdered, his tin box where he kept his valuables rifled and his money taken. There had evidently been a struggle, and spots of blood appeared here and there on the furniture. A careful examination of the marks on the box was made, resulting in the discovery by the blood stains on it that the index finger of the right hand of the murderer was missing. But that was all the headway made in the case for some months. Everybody for miles around knew that a murderer was at large minus the index finger of his right hand, and everybody was on the watch for such a person.

"One night about 10 o'clock a woman was sitting before embers on a fireplace dozing. Behind her on a table was a bright light, before her a white wall. Opening her eyes, she saw on the wall the shadow of a man. He stood still for a moment; then, raising his right hand, in which he held a knife pointing downward, he began to advance without noise. One thing was noticeable-there was something wanting in the shadow of the thumb and forefinger. If you will make such a shadow, you will see that in that position it will show the forefinger a protuberance. The woman noticed there was no such protuberance. The handle of the knife took its place, but did not completely fill it. At any rate, there was a difference. No more remarkable instance of coolness than that of this woman threatened with in-

stant death is on record. "Sarah!" she called in a perfectly con-

trolled voice to a servant in the kitch-"The shadow retreated. Probably the

man stepped into the hall. Sarah came in, and her mistress said to her: "'I have some bills to pay tomorrow morning and some purchases to make. There's not a cent of money in the house. I wish you to take a note to my brother and ask him to let me have \$50, which amount I will draw from the bank tomorrow and send it to his office. Stop; he will not give it with-

out the order. I will write one, Hand me my writing case.' "The servant did as she was directed, and the woman wrote the note, reading it over aloud carefully to make sure that she had made herself plain and that the servant understood what she

was to do. Then the latter left the house. "For five minutes by the clock on the mantel the woman sat perfectly still. She could not be sure that her plan would succeed. She must take her chances on its succeeding without an effort to determine whether it had or not. After five minutes, not seeing the shadow reappear, she got up and went out the front door to the next house, where she sent a messenger to the po-

lice station with the following note: "The three fingered murderer came just now to my house to murder and rob me. I sent my servant with a note to my brother living on the Hilton road for \$50. The murderer heard me tell her what to do. He will follow her and on her return

"The police were out at once, followedthe girl and saw her enter the house where she was to get the money. One of their number entered, dressed himself in the servant's clothes and started back as if to deliver the money. From behind a bush a man sprang up and called out, 'Your money or your life!' at the same time covering the supposed servant with a revolver. Instead of complying he sounded a sharp whistle. It was needless, however, for the police were in touch and in an instant had the robber handcuffed. His right hand was found to be minus the index finger. There was absolutely no other testimony to convict him of the murder committed some months before, but this bit of circumstantial evidence was sufficient. The shadow of the forefin-

"Wrong again, professor," interrupted the facetious student. "It was the

absence of shadow." "You are incorrigible," said the professor, smiling. "What can't be cured must be endured."

The class, the facetious student and the teacher all laughed together, and the latter proceeded with his discourse. But the interrupter never offended again. He had no desire to do so, and

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